



## ***The Cumberland County Connection***

### **- Community Guide -**

**Fall 2023**

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**804-492-3800**



***"Discover Your Independence. Discover Cumberland County"***



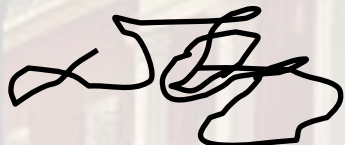
## ***Letter from the County Administrator***

The Fall is a great time to experience all that Cumberland County has to offer. From many community oriented events to diverse programming for all ages and interests - Cumberland county has it!

Opportunities abound for quality recreation at Cumberland State Forest, Bear Creek Lake State Park, or at one of the County's newest community parks. The High Bridge Trail offers unbelievable elevated views of Southside Virginia—and don't forget to stop by one of our local businesses to dine, grab a coffee, or fill up your gas tank.

There are plenty of opportunities to discover in your own backyard. Discover your Independence, and most importantly, discover Cumberland County.

Sincerely,



Derek Stamey, County Administrator

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## **Board of Supervisors**

### **District 1**

Brian Stanley, Chair

### **District 2**

Ronald Tavernier

### **District 3**

Eurika Tyree, Vice-Chair

### **District 4**

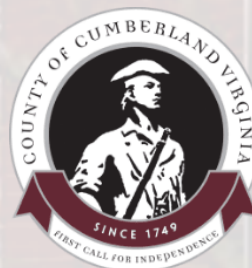
Gene Brooks

### **District 5**

Robert Saunders, Jr.

### **County Administrator**

Derek L. Stamey



**Cumberland County**

**Administrative Offices**

**1 Courthouse Circle**

**Cumberland, Va 23040**

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Information can be found on the  
Cumberland County website:  
[www.cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov](http://www.cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov)



# **Cumberland County News and Updates!**

## **Comprehensive Plan**

The County's Comprehensive Plan is a long-term guide and decision-making tool that outlines goals, objectives, and projections for County needs for the next 20-25 years.

Cumberland County's current plan was adopted in 2013 and was evaluated again in 2018. In December of 2022, the Board of Supervisors initiated the current Comprehensive Plan update and the process kicked off in earnest in late January of 2023.

The Comprehensive Plan team has developed citizen engagement surveys and is currently working to schedule public engagement meetings. "The voice of our citizens is of highest importance as we seek to address issues through the Comprehensive plan that impact the County's quality of life, our public services, job creation, and the long term vision for Cumberland County," stated Brian Stanley, Cumberland's chairman of the Board of Supervisors.

Cumberland's Comprehensive Plan citizen engagement survey, the plan's process and updates associated with it can be found at [www.cumberlandcomprehensiveplan.com](http://www.cumberlandcomprehensiveplan.com).

## **Broadband Update**

The Connect Cumberland Broadband Initiative is well on its way to bringing Broadband to unserved and underserved areas of Cumberland County!

The Connect Cumberland Broadband Initiative is bringing a total infrastructure investment of \$15,839,060 to Cumberland County. The County has contributed \$586,250 or 3.7% of the total cost of the project. The Initiative is a positive example of local government leveraging partnerships and resources with other governmental agencies and private entities to meet the needs of Cumberland's residents. Anticipated completion of all identified areas is slated for 2024-2026.



## **Park Construction and Other County Capital Improvements Nearly Complete**

Cumberland County will soon be opening three new parks. Each park will include a playground, two picnic shelters, and walking trails. Other amenities will be phased into development as funding becomes available—most likely through grants.



Park locations were selected to maximize available funding, which was sourced solely through private corporate donations. Park locations allow for enhanced security, use of existing County owned property, and appropriate use of resources for maintenance.

The parks will be located at 43 Samuels Drive (Cartersville), 1874 Anderson Highway (Cumberland), and at 2632 Cumberland Road (Randolph).

In addition to the 3 new parks, the county made improvements to the existing Madison Sports Complex including new bleachers, press boxes, and public address systems, all designed to enhance the user and visitor experience at the fields. The parks and improvements to existing facilities were completed utilizing zero tax dollars.

Design work on the Bear Creek Lake Park Connector Trail (connecting the Courthouse village to the state park) should begin sometime in the Spring of 2024. This project will be partially funded through a Virginia Tobacco Commission grant.

The County has long needed improvements taking shape over the next several weeks. Accompanying the park located at the Luther P Jackson Complex, the County will be paving and lighting the current gravel parking lot that serves the complex. Ongoing improvements to the Randolph transfer station are taking place including new security fencing and signage.





**Bear Creek Lake State Park** is nestled in the heart of the Cumberland State Forest in Cumberland County, Virginia. It's the perfect getaway for the outdoor enthusiast. Activities center on the 40-acre lake with a boat launch, fishing pier, boat rentals and a swimming beach. Other attractions include a meeting facility, cabins, camping, picnicking, an archery range and playgrounds. Guests also enjoy the park's trails and access to the adjoining 16,000-acre Cumberland State Forest, including the 14-mile Cumberland Multi-use Trail, which is available for hiking, biking and horseback riding. The park regularly offers a variety of educational programs.

**Website:** <https://www.dcr.virginia.gov/state-parks/bear-creek-lake> **be found at:** <https://bit.ly/30ykfup>



This year is the ninth anniversary of this signature park event. Conceived and spearheaded by the Friends of Bear Creek Lake State Park, this unique assemblage of lights and decorations remains a joyous time to bring friends, family, and community together. The event has grown over the years, with more brighter and flashing lights, making the event one of the biggest light displays in the region.

On December 1,2,3, and again on December 8,9,10, from 5 to 7:30 p.m., visitors to the park will drive their car through the park's campground and beach area to experience a wonderland of lights and community displays. Admission is a new unwrapped toy or a monetary donation to benefit the Cumberland Christmas Mother.

Parking will be available at the beach area, the mid-point of the tour to allow participants to enjoy additional activities. For the duration of the event each night, the Lakeside Snack Bar will be open to sell light refreshments and holiday-themed ornaments and other merchandise perfect for the season and as gifts.

At the Lakeside picnic shelter, s'mores kits will be available for a small additional donation and a warming campfire provided to toast your s'mores. The picnic shelter will also offer free craft making and decorating activities. It is suggested that you bring a flashlight when stopping for the activities.



# Cumberland State Forest



## Overview

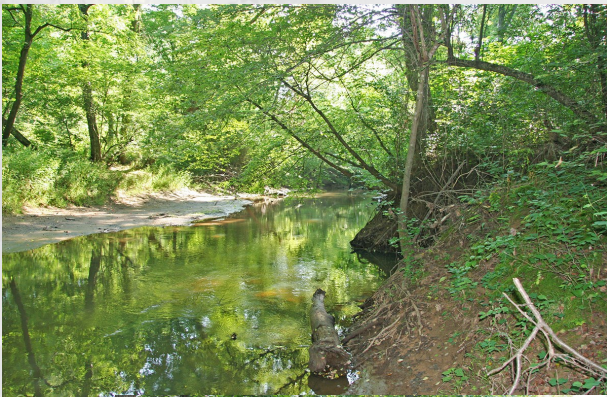
Cumberland State Forest is Virginia's second largest at 16,154 acres. Most of the forest is in Cumberland County, with a small portion in Buckingham County. It has a diversity of pine and hardwood forest types, with land ranging from flat bottomland to moderate slopes. The forest is managed for multiple uses: timber, wildlife, recreation, water quality, biodiversity, research, and demonstration.

Approximately 121 miles of waterways flow through or adjacent to the forest, including more than 15 miles of the Willis River, 26 miles of perennial streams, 47 miles of intermittent streams, and 32 miles of ephemeral streams. The property contains four small lakes; Bonbrook, Arrowhead, Winston, and Oak Hill. Cumberland State Forest contains several vernal pools. Most of these seasonally-flooded wetlands are less than ¼ acre in size. They are typically largest during wet, winter months and completely dry during the summer.

Approximately 100 years ago, most of this area was either active or abandoned farmland. Evidence from this past land use remains visible today. Rock piles can be found scattered across the forest where farmers cleared them to cultivate the land. Hills and furrows created by plowing can still be found on the forest floor of many timber stands.

The Cumberland State Forest Office, also known as the "Trenton" house, is listed in the Virginia Department of Historic Resources inventory. The main house was constructed by Dr. John Trent in 1815. The "Oak Hill" house, located on Oak Hill Forest Road, was built by the Thornton family around 1810.

[Bear Creek Lake State Park](#) lies within the boundaries of the state forest.



## Cumberland State Forest

Virginia Department of Forestry

### Recreation and Trails Map

#### Legend

- State Forest Land
- State Forest Office Grounds
- Bear Creek Lake State Park
- Game Management
- Lakes
- US Highway
- State Highway
- State Road
- Forest Road
- Forest Road- No Vehicles
- Perennial Stream
- River

#### Trails

- Cumberland Multi-Use Trail (Blazed in Blue)
- Willis River Trail (Blazed in White)
- Coffey Trail (Reflective Markers)

#### Recreation Points

- Swinging Foot Bridge
- Horse Trailer Parking
- Picnic Shelter
- Canoe Launch
- Boat Launch
- Monuments
- Parking



State Forest Main Office and Cumberland State Forest Office:  
Phone: (804) 492-4121  
751 Oak Hill Road, Cumberland, VA 23040

[www.dof.virginia.gov](http://www.dof.virginia.gov)

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# Cumberland Cooperative Extension



For additional information about Extension related clubs, programs, and events, please visit our webpage at

<https://cumberland.ext.vt.edu>

Cumberland 4-H would like to take a moment to recognize some special businesses, organizations and individuals in our community who have made financial contributions to the local 4-H program to support our summer camps. These “Friends of Cumberland 4-H” gave a total of \$2,355.00 and made it possible for 3 youth to attend Cloverbud Camp, 2 teen leaders to participate in Teen and Adult Leader Training at Holiday Lake 4-H Center, as well as 15 campers and teens to go to Jr. 4-H Camp.

## 2023 “FRIENDS OF CUMBERLAND 4-H”

Johnny Asal Lumber Co, Inc  
Cumberland Restaurant  
Redbud Garden Club  
The Cumberland Coffee Company  
True Fixins’  
Cumberland Clothes Closet  
Cumberland Garden Club  
Judy Chambliss

### Office Location

1548 Anderson Highway  
Cumberland, VA 23040

### Office Hours

8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.,  
Monday through Friday

### Mailing Address

P.O. Box 80  
Cumberland, VA 23040

### Phone Numbers

(804) 492-4390  
(804) 492-5718 (Fax)

### Directions

**Farmville** - Take Route 45 north (17 miles) to the intersection 45 and 60. Turn right onto 60 east (3 miles) to Cumberland Courthouse.

**Richmond** - Take Route 60 West (45 miles) to Cumberland Courthouse. The Cumberland Extension Office is located in the town of Cumberland, across from the Cumberland County High School.



These special friends make it possible for us to continue to “Make the Best Better” and to impact young people in our community teaching leadership, citizenship, and life skills.

Please give your financial support to the businesses, organization and individuals that give their resources to the most precious resource in our community; the young people.





# Cumberland County Parks and Recreation Programs

## Cumberland County

### Public Recreation Facilities

#### **Bear Creek State Park**

22 Bear Creek Lake Rd., Cumberland, VA 23040;

Phone: 804-492-4410;

Email: [BearCreek@dcv.virginia.gov](mailto: BearCreek@dcv.virginia.gov)

#### **High Bridge Trail State Park**

(Mailing address) 6888 Green Bay Rd., Green Bay, VA

23942; Phone: 434-315-0457;

Email: [highbridgetrail@dcv.virginia.gov](mailto: highbridgetrail@dcv.virginia.gov)

#### **Cartersville Boat Ramp**

2396 Cartersville Road

Cartersville, VA 23027

#### **Columbia Boat Ramp**

Route 690 and James River

Columbia, VA

#### **Madison Sports Complex (MSC)**

6 Old Buckingham Road

Cumberland, Va 23040

#### **Luther P Jackson School/Community Center (LPJ)**

71 Community Center Drive

Cumberland, Va 23040

### New Park Locations!

#### **Cartersville Park**

43 Samuels Drive, Cartersville, VA 23027

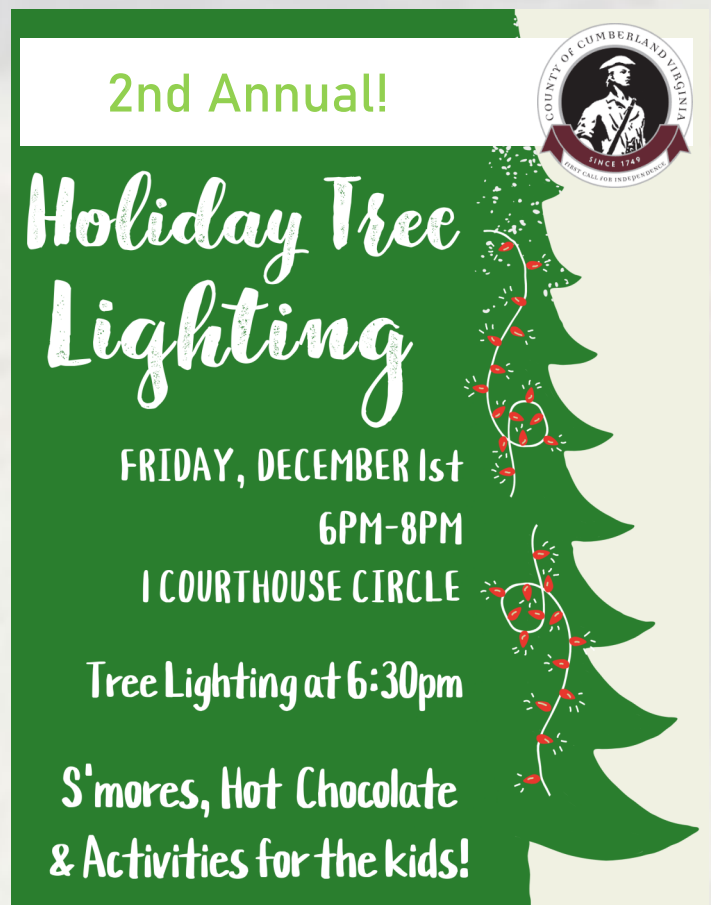
#### **Luther P Jackson Park**

1874 Anderson Highway, Cumberland, VA 23040

#### **Randolph Park**

2632 Cumberland Road, Farmville, VA 23901

\* Each park contains two picnic shelters, playground, and waking trails.





# Cumberland County Parks and Recreation Programs

## Community Weight Room

The Cumberland Community Weight Room is now open. The weight room is equipped with two elliptical cardio machines, a universal cable machine, a universal plate-loaded machine, a bench and free weights, dumbbells, and a variety of workout machines. Membership rates are listed below.



As part of our community weight room, we will have the gymnasium open, during weight room hours, for community members to walk, run, do some calisthenics, or engage in some sport

(with the exception of days we are holding designated events, like youth basketball open gym).

Hours: M-F– 7am-3pm & 4pm-8pm (hours subject to change)

Sunday– 12pm-4pm

## Basketball Mini Camp

Have a young basketball player looking to hone their skills, or a child interested in learning the game? Cumberland County's Youth Basketball Mini Camp will teach them the fundamentals of the game and give them an opportunity to have some basketball fun with their friends before youth basketball starts. Camp will consist of skills stations, fun basketball challenges, games and lessons from coaches and mentors.

November 8-10 from 4-7pm - Ages 6-16 - Cost - \$25

Program Registration requires a completed registration form and payment prior to participation in the program.

Registration is required 1 week before the program.

Financial assistance is available upon request.

## Farmer's and Artisan's Market

This fall, Cumberland County Parks & Rec, plans to host a Farmer's and Artisan's Market. Dates have not been confirmed. Follow Cumberland County Park & Rec Facebook page to stay up to date with programs and events. If you are interested in being a vendor at the Market, please call (804) 921-8043 or email [spankey@cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov](mailto:spankey@cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov).

## PARKS AND RECREATION WEIGHT ROOM FEES AND CLASS PACKS (for designated classes\*)

### Weight Room

**Weight Room Monthly– \$7 Weight Room Yearly– \$70**

### Class Packages /20% Off Packs (w/Weight Room membership)

**5-pack– \$40 / \$32**

**10-pack– \$75 / \$60**

**20-pack– \$140 / \$112**

**Single class– \$10 / \$8**

Email or call to inquire about trying out a complimentary class!

[spankey@cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov](mailto:spankey@cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov)



# Cumberland County Parks and Recreation Programs

## **Monday Morning Movement\***

You know the old saying “Move it or Lose It!” In this class we move it, so we don’t lose the ability to move it! Start the week off right with some light to moderate movement, stretching, and calisthenics. We start class with light stretching, followed by calisthenic and resistance exercises (both standing and chair-based variations). And, to finish we do a light cooldown. **Ages 40+**

Ongoing class on Monday at the LPJ Complex from 9:00am - 10:00am—Purchase a class pack from Cumberland Parks and Recreation

## **Wednesday Morning Conditioning\***

If you want some high-octane fitness, this class is for you! This class will incorporate Circuit and HIIT training as well as calisthenics to burn calories and build lean muscle. Whether your goal is to lose weight, maintain, or put on a little muscle, this class will work for you, since it will incorporate resistance exercises and cardio. We will use a variety of equipment in our Circuit or HIIT structure to keep it fun! **All Ages**

Ongoing class on Wednesday at the LPJ Complex from 9:00am - 10:00am—Purchase a class pack from Cumberland Parks and Recreation

## **Friday Morning Strength\***

The Friday morning focus is strength. We will hold this class in the community weight room, and focus on engaging our muscles through a variety of resistance exercises. You can expect to get a total body strength workout each Friday morning. You will also learn which muscles each exercise recruits and how to engage those muscles in proper form. **All Ages**

Ongoing class on Friday at the LPJ Complex from 9:00am - 10:00am—Purchase a class pack from Cumberland Parks and Recreation

## **Vibrant Fitness**

A fun-filled class that is live and full of spirit. This class incorporates bodyweight exercises and some resistance to build strength and burn calories! We already have quite the community growing in this class, so come out and have some fitness fun with your neighbors! **All Ages**

Wednesday 6:00pm - 7:00pm at the LPJ Complex - **FREE**

## **Youth Basketball Open Gym**

Keep the kids hooping in the offseason. Every Sunday we will open the gym for kids aged 8-16 to shoot around, practice their skills, play some pick up and otherwise improve their basketball game. Younger kids can also participate, but they will have to use the regulation goals.

Sundays 1:00pm - 4:00pm at the LPJ Gym - **FREE**

## **Arts & Crafts Events**

Cumberland County Parks & Rec will be planning some Arts & Crafts events this fall and winter for youth and adults. Please follow the Cumberland County Parks & Rec Facebook page to stay up to date with programs and events.

## **Farmer’s and Artisan’s Market**

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### Program Registration Form

Please submit completed form and payment via mail to  
Cumberland County Parks and Recreation  
1 Courthouse Circle  
PO Box 110  
Cumberland, Va 23040

#### For Office Use Only

Staff: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
☐

#### Adult Participant or Parent/Guardian Information

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_

#### Second Parent (if applicable)

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies/ Medical Conditions \_\_\_\_\_

Special Accommodations \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned participant/guardian, if under eighteen, desiring to participate in the Cumberland County Parks and Recreation programs and all of the special activities, hereby release and agree to indemnify and save harmless Cumberland County, the Recreation Department, their employees and any official of the special activity, from any and all claims of any nature or injury or loss that may result from such participation or preparation for such participation. I fully understand the procedures involved in the program and may result from such participation in this event. Further, I certify that the entrant is in good physical condition and capable of participating in the event. **Payment is due at the time of registration**

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDIA RELEASE** Cumberland County Parks and Recreation staff may take photographs and video recordings of the participants in Department-sponsored programs and activities and use such materials for recruitment and marketing purposes. If you consent to the Department's use of photographs and/or video recordings of you or your child in its recruitment and marketing efforts, please sign on the following line. Your consent is not required to participate in Department programs and activities.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

	Participant First Name	Last Name	Birth Date	Short size	Shirt size	Age group	Program Title	School attending	Fee
1									
2									
3									
4									

Cumberland County Parks and Recreation

www.cumberlandcounty.virginia.gov

PHONE: (804) 492- 9345 FAX: (804)492-9224

TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_





## Cumberland County Facility Use Application

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Permit #: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility Requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Time Requested: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Participants: \_\_\_\_\_

Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Admission Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

Will the Event be Publicized? \_\_\_\_\_

Set Up Required/Needed? \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send completed application to:

Cumberland Parks and Recreation, 1 Courthouse Circle

PO Box 110, Cumberland, VA 23040

### Facility Use Fees: (please circle)

Gymnasium: \$50/hour Resident, \$100/hour Non-Resident

Cafeteria: \$50/3 hour Resident, \$100/3 hour Non-Resident

Classroom: \$50/3 hour Resident, \$100/3 hour Non-Resident

Athletic Field: \$50/field per day, Field Prep: \$25/field

Indoor Set Up Fee: \$50 Tables: \$5/table Chairs: \$1/chair

Total Indoor Set Up Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Facility Use Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

*Community Based User Groups are fee exempt from outdoor facility use fees and must meet the following criteria: open to the public, 501 c(3) non-profit status, youth and/or senior oriented.*

*Indoor User Fees are applicable to all users of facilities unless otherwise approved. The facility use application deadline for calendar year athletic users is January 1. All other users approved after January 15 on a first come, first served basis.*

### Cumberland County Parks and Recreation Facility Use Policy

#### General Policy

Rental fee is required at the time of application. All rentals must end by 8 pm, unless expressed written consent by the Parks and Recreation Director. **Completed facility use forms are due 30 days prior to rental.** County facilities may not be used for money making purposes such as gambling, or any illegal activity. Smoking is prohibited inside County buildings.

All activities must be confined to spaces reserved by the user and may not include any activities which may disturb the quiet enjoyment of any person within 300 feet of facility. Parks & Recreation reserves the right to cancel facility use due to weather and/or field conditions. Rentals that include amplified music and gatherings of over 50 people are not permitted in indoor facilities.

Alcohol is prohibited in all County facilities. When reserving a facility for a recurring event, a detailed schedule, including all desired dates must accompany the facility use form. A County staff member is required to be present for all rentals. Keys to the facility will not be distributed. Cumberland County may not be identified as an event sponsor. The address of a County facility may not be used as the official address or headquarters of an organization.

#### Cancellations

Cumberland County reserves the right to revoke or deny approval to any individual or organization that does not comply with the policies and regulations governing the use of its facilities. To receive a refund, the user must notify Parks & Recreation at least 48 hours prior to reservation date.

#### Custodial

Groups are responsible for leaving the facility in the same condition as found. Failure to remove trash after any rental will result in a \$250 facility clean up fee.

#### Liability

Cumberland County assumes no responsibility for any property brought on the premises by the organization, its members, guests or spectators, or for any lost or stolen items. The user(s) agrees to hold the County harmless from any and all claims, actions or damages as may arise in connection with the use of the facility. A certificate of liability insurance is required for all functions that are not an agency or entity of Cumberland County. Minimum insurance requirements include a general aggregate policy for 1,000,000 minimum. Cumberland county must be named as an additional insured as well as a certificate holder prior to final approval for use of facilities.

Staff Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Fee Collected: \_\_\_\_\_



CUMBERLAND YOUTH  
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION 2023



SEASON

# FOOTBALL

**AUGUST 26**

10AM IN CHARLOTTE

**SEPTEMBER 2**

4PM IN BUCKINGHAM

**SEPTEMBER 9**

11AM IN CUMBERLAND (VS. BRUNSWICK)

**SEPTEMBER 16**

4PM IN CUMBERLAND (VS. PRINCE EDWARD)

**SEPTEMBER 23**

10AM IN CUMBERLAND (VS. AMELIA)

**SEPTEMBER 30** **HOMECOMING**

4PM IN CUMBERLAND (VS CHARLOTTE)

**OCTOBER 7**

10AM IN CUMBERLAND (VS BUCKINGHAM)

**OCTOBER 14**

11AM IN BRUNSWICK

**OCTOBER 21**

10AM IN PRINCE EDWARD

**OCTOBER 29**

2PM IN AMELIA

**SUNDAY**

**\* FLAG GAMES WILL START AT THE TIME SHOWN ABOVE\***  
**FOLLOWED BY MINORS AND THEN JV**  
**ENTRY FEE IS \$5 PER PERSON**





# CYAA



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Cumberland Youth Athletic Association

**Board of Directors**

**Cliff White, President**

**Alfonso Bell, Vice President**

**Tiffany Johnson, Treasurer**

**Kim Spillman, Secretary**

**At-Large Members**

**Billy Spillman**

**Brian Jackson**

**Cindy Jones**

**De'Von Shearn**

**Duane Partusch**

**Josh Rbel**

**Terry Seal**

**Travon Jackson**

**Sports Include:**

**Baseball, Basketball, Cheerleading, Football,  
Softball, and Volleyball.**

**Volunteers and Sponsors are Needed!!**

**Please visit our website at [cyaa.us](http://cyaa.us) or email us  
at [contact@cyaa.us](mailto:contact@cyaa.us)**

**Basketball, Volleyball, and Cheerleading  
Registration Open Now!**

The Cumberland Youth Athletic Association (CYAA) is a non-profit organization established with the objective of teaching the youth of Cumberland County the fundamentals of sports and teamwork in an organized, supervised environment with an emphasis on safety in an atmosphere conducive to developing sound mind, body, and character.

Our goal is to inspire youth to practice the idea of good sportsmanship, scholarship, and personal integrity. Our goal is not only to develop them as athletes but to be positive influences in their community.

CYAA Values:

Every child should have fun.

Every child should learn the value of teamwork.

Every child must learn how to play safely.

Every child should understand the reward of hard work.

Every child should learn from failure.

Every child should be challenged to reach their potential.





# Cumberland Community Cares

## Delma's Pantry

1550 Anderson Hwy.  
Cumberland, VA 23040  
804-385-9421

cumberlandcommunitycares@gmail.com

## Volunteers Needed for...

### Bagging

Mondays	12:00
2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursdays	9:00 am
Fridays 4 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 am

### Distributions

Tuesdays Market	2:30 pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Fridays	8:30 am

### Direct Store Pickup

Food Lion (Powhatan)  
Target (Rt 60 Midlothian)  
Sheetz (Powhatan)  
Dollar General (Cumberland)

\*Please call **804-385-9421** to sign-up

### Food Distributions

Market (\$5 donation) - Tuesday 2:30 pm  
TEFAP and Senior Box – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday 9:00 am  
Mobile Pantry – 4<sup>th</sup> Friday 9:00 am

### Programs

Friendship Café - Piedmont Senior Resources  
Tuesdays 10 am - 2 pm  
All are welcome

Donations can be made to  
**Cumberland Community Cares**  
or using our QR Code

 **PayPal**



Scan. Pay. Go.





## STEPS Gifted Shelter, Needs Help For Repairs *Will Aid Domestic Violence And Sexual Assault Victims*

STEPS, Inc. is committed to restart domestic violence and sexual assault victim services. Madeline's House closed last November, but—under STEPS leadership (and with a generous donation of a building from Ellery and Robin Sedgwick) will reopen.

STEPS, the community action agency serving a region that includes Cumberland County, is working to raise up to \$150,000 to kick start repairs to the building, provide furnishings and address some of the operational costs. Once the shelter is operational, victims will have a safe place to stay while they are working on plans to rebuild their lives and become self-sufficient. Starting and maintaining these critical safety services requires strong community support.

In the meantime, STEPS continues to provide hotel sheltering, transportation to shelters or other safe locations in a six-county region that includes Amelia, Buckingham, Cumberland, Lunenburg, Nottoway, and Prince Edward counties.

"It will take community support just to get us to the operational starting line," said STEPS President and CEO Sharon Harrup. "This is a completely new undertaking for STEPS. We recognize the need for this shelter, and we are doing everything we can to get it open."

STEPS is also starting a Sexual Assault Recovery Program (SARP) in coordination with Centra Health, who will be bringing forensic nursing examinations to the emergency room in Farmville this upcoming Fall. The SARP program will have trained volunteers to provide accompaniment and emotional support to victims involved in these forensic examinations. With initial support from the Virginia Department of Social Services and several counties in the region, STEPS has established a Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Program Coordinator position to start these services for the shelter and safety of the region's victims.

Anyone interested in local domestic violence victim assistance programs to include volunteering for the SARP program can contact Shawn Rozier at STEPS at 434-315-5909, extension 261. Anyone interested in donating financially to assist in the repairs or operations of Madeline's House can visit STEPS' website ([www.steps-inc.org/donate](http://www.steps-inc.org/donate)), text STEPS to 26989, reach out through [STEPS.harnessapp.com](mailto:STEPS.harnessapp.com) or send contributions designated for DV services to STEPS, Inc. 225 Industrial Park Road, Farmville, VA 23901.



## PROGRAMS OF SERVICE

### Housing

- **EnergyShare** aids with paying heating and cooling bills of families in need through a partnership with Dominion Energy.
- **Virginia Homeless Solutions Program** provides case management services to individuals and families who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless through three branches of programming: shelter, rapid-rehousing, and prevention. The Virginia Department of Housing and Community Development funds this service.

### Workforce & Economic Development

- **STEPS Commercial Business Lines** employ adults with disabilities and provides transportation to work in two "green" lines of business with support from the Virginia Department of Aging and Rehabilitative Services.
  - **The Recycling Center** processes over 800 tons of material on an annual basis.
  - **Secure Document Destruction** shreds confidential documents for businesses and citizens and recycles over 400 tons of paper each year.
- **Senior Community Services Employment Program** places individuals over the age of 55 in employment training sites to gain employment skills. The Virginia Department of Aging and Rehabilitative Services funds this program.
- **Transitional Work Adjustment** supports students receiving special education services in their transition from high school to adulthood.
- **Workplace Supports** assists TANF recipients to locate and sustain employment with the goal of exiting public assistance and reaching independence. This program is funded through a grant with eight local Departments of Social Service.
- **Supported Employment** serves those with disabilities that are referred to STEPS from the Department of Aging and Rehabilitative Services (DARS). STEPS offers situational assessments, job coaching, and follow-along services to ensure that those with disabilities can gain equal employment opportunities as those without disabilities.

### Early Childhood Education

- **Head Start** provides early childhood education to eligible three- and four-year-old children in eight South Central Virginia counties. Early Head Start provides infant and toddler care in Amelia, Charlotte, Lunenburg, and Prince Edward counties. STEPS also offers services to expectant mothers.

### Community Collaborations

- **Heartland Local Planning Group** provides a regional forum that focuses on reducing homelessness.
- **South Central VA Nonprofit Network** a forum of regional organizations to coordinate services, share best practices and focus on mutual training needs. This group recently launched a resource directory website, [www.SCVNN.org](http://www.SCVNN.org)
- **Prince Edward County/Farmville Literacy Council** provides ABL and ESL services to adults in need of skill development.
- **Prince Edward County/Town of Farmville Housing Coalition** works to address the lack of adequate housing resources at all income levels.
- **Homeless Housing Task Force** is focused on providing alternatives to hotel use for those citizens who are literally homeless. This group of volunteers is focused on developing a "tiny house" community versus a large congregate setting.

CORPORATE OFFICE: 225 Industrial Park Road – Farmville, VA 23901 - (434) 315-5909

## Cumberland County Public Library



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P.O. Box 98  
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804-492-5807  
[cumberlandlibraryva@gmail.com](mailto:cumberlandlibraryva@gmail.com)

### Library Hours of Operation:

Mon 9:00 am - 7:00 pm  
Tues 9:00 am - 6:00 pm  
Wed 9:00 am - 6:00 pm  
Thurs 9:00 am - 6:00 pm  
Fri 9:00 am - 6:00 pm  
Sat 10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Sun CLOSED

Dr. Maria Almond,

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(434) 392-3984 X 131

[www.vdh.virginia.gov/piedmont](http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/piedmont)

Social media: [www.instagram.com/piedmontvdh](https://www.instagram.com/piedmontvdh),  
[www.facebook.com/piedmontvdh](https://www.facebook.com/piedmontvdh)

Services offered: Environmental Health, Family Planning, STD/STI testing & treatment, HIV/AIDS testing, immunizations, Women, Infants & Children (WIC), Population health & outreach, Emergency preparedness, Vital records (birth, death, marriage, divorce), Communicable & reportable disease surveillance. The Piedmont Health District is the health department serving the counties of Amelia, Buckingham, Charlotte, Cumberland, Lunenburg, Nottoway and Prince Edward. It offers vaccinations, family planning & sexual health services, environmental health assistance, Women, Infants & Children (WIC), community outreach, vital records, and other overall health services. For more information call the general information hotline at (434) 392-8187 x 137 or email Bri Marcum at [briauna.marcum@vdh.virginia.gov](mailto:briauna.marcum@vdh.virginia.gov).

# The Piedmont Health District

## Keeping the Heart of Virginia Healthy

### Our Services:

- Immunizations for all ages
- Disease Surveillance, Prevention and Outbreak Investigation
- Family Planning & Sexual Health
- Well and Septic Permitting, Restaurant Inspecting and Rabies Testing
- Women, Infants & Children (WIC)
- Emergency Preparedness & Response
- Community Health Programs and Outreach
- Vital records
- Animal Bite Follow-Ups

Serving the counties of Amelia, Buckingham, Charlotte, Cumberland, Lunenburg, Nottoway and Prince Edward

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Melba R. Moore, DBA, MS, Executive Director

Crossroads Community Services Board

60 Bush River Drive

Farmville, VA 23901

Office: (434) 392-7049 Ext. 252

*"Crossroads Community Services Board was organized in 1973 as a cooperative venture among the counties of Amelia, Buckingham, Charlotte, Cumberland, Lunenburg, Nottoway, and Prince Edward. The Services Board, the governing body over the agency's programs, consists of representatives appointed by the Board of Supervisors in each of the counties and includes elected officials, individuals receiving services, family and community members."*

*"The focus of the Crossroads Community Services Board is to prevent and treat the occurrence of mental illness, intellectual disabilities, substance use and co-occurring disorders and to enhance the functioning of individuals and families who experience these conditions."*



## Cumberland Department of Social Services

71 Community Center Dr. Cumberland, VA 23040  
Mailing Address: P O Box 33 Cumberland, VA 23040  
Telephone: 804-492-4915 Fax: 804-492-9346  
Office hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 AM – 4:45 PM

### The following benefit programs are available

**SNAP** (formerly known as Food Stamps) -- Will help you buy nutritious food for your household.

**TANF** (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families) -- Provides financial assistance to eligible families and children.

**Medical Assistance Programs** -- Make direct payments to health care service providers for eligible individuals and families who are unable to pay for needed medical services.

**Energy Assistance Program (EAP)** -- Assists low-income, eligible households by supplementing home energy costs.

### How to Apply

- Apply online for benefits at:  
<https://commonhelp.virginia.gov>
- Apply for SNAP, TANF, EAP, and Medical Assistance over the phone by calling **1-855-635-4370**
- Apply for Medical Assistance only over the phone by calling **1-855-242-8282**
- Get an application from your local department of social services
- Ask the LDSS to mail you an application
- Print a copy of the application off the internet at <http://www.dss.virginia.gov> under each program under assistance or at [www.coverva.org](http://www.coverva.org) for medical assistance
- Leave the printed application, mail or fax the application to your LDSS



**Your LDSS is here to help!**



## Piedmont Area Veterans Council and Resource Center

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Farmville, Virginia 23901

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FAX: 434-392-3042

Email: [pavc23901@aol.com](mailto:pavc23901@aol.com)

[HTTPS://pavc23901.weebly.com](https://pavc23901.weebly.com)

Physical Address: 820 Longwood Avenue, Farmville, Va. 23901



The Piedmont Area Veterans Council is a 501C3 organization. We are a Community Veteran Engagement Board (not a Veteran Service Organization) that serves to assist active-duty service members, veterans and their dependents/caregivers who reside in the Counties of: Appomattox, Amelia, Buckingham, Charlotte, Cumberland, Lunenburg, Nottoway, and Prince Edward in the State of Virginia. We serve as a community partner by connecting veterans to services and resources they may need either at our site or to local, state, federal and National Resources. We guide those in need through our comprehensive network of local and national resources including Reintegration, Healthcare, Family & Caregiver Support, Recreation, Employment, Education, Finance and others.



Serving our neighbors in need of safe, decent, affordable housing!

**AFFORDABLE HOMEOWNERSHIP** - partner with first-time homeowners, renters or others to obtain a new or renovated home!

**AFFORDABLE HOME REPAIRS** - assist seniors and other families/individuals to preserve or repair their existing home!

**YOU CAN HELP** - Involve your business, civic group, church, or other organization in supporting the mission as an entire group or as an individual. There are many ways to help beyond the build site.

**\*\*Our current committee meetings are held virtually/in-person on the fourth Thursday of the month at 6:00PM.**

**\*\*\* Upcoming fundraiser event: BINGO-November 6, 2022, 2 to 5 pm.**  
LPJ Complex at 1874 Anderson Highway Cumberland

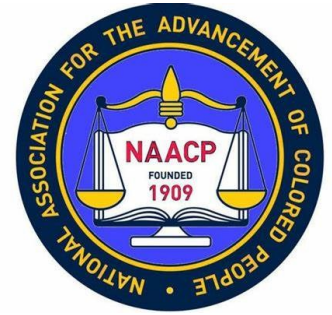
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### Cumberland County Branch NAACP

*We are 2 million+ activists united in the fight to end racial inequality'.*

*Yvonne Earvin, President*

*Post Office Box 153*

*Cumberland VA 23040-153*

<http://www.naacp.org>

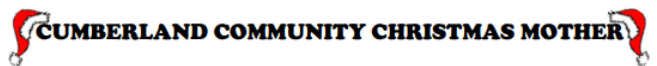
*For membership information, call/text 804.909.0049.*



PSR, the agency that advocates, advances and achieves independence for an aging community, we provide supportive services for individuals age 60 and older. The agency serves citizens of Cumberland, Amelia, Buckingham, Charlotte, Lunenburg, Nottoway and Prince Edward. This company has various programs to assist seniors and we are primarily funded through the Older Americans Act, state and private grants as well as individual county funding within Piedmont Health District. Please feel free to call us as we are looking forward to working with you and countless partners within the surrounding district.

1413 Shoppes at College Park Farmville, Virginia 23901

434-767-5588 or 434-767-5589



The Cumberland Community Christmas Mother is a non-profit organization managed by a committee of volunteers. Our mission is to help children, families, and seniors in need during the holiday season. Through the generous donations from individuals, businesses, churches, and civic organizations, we make Christmas special for approximately 300 children and 200 seniors each year. Applications are available August 1 through November 1 each year. We can be reached at (434) 242-2713, or by emailing us at [cc.christmasmother@gmail.com](mailto:cc.christmasmother@gmail.com). You can find us on Facebook. Please like and follow the Cumberland Christmas Mother.



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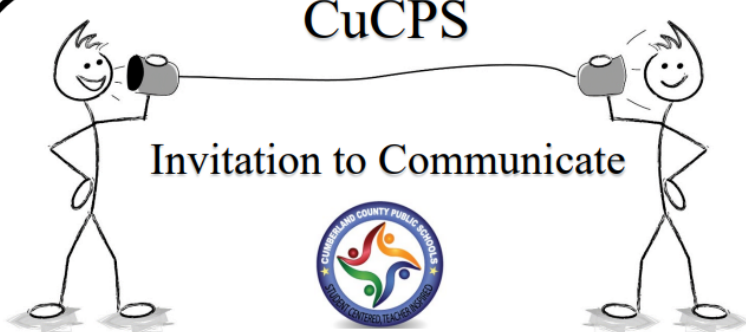
## Cumberland County Public Schools

1541 Anderson Highway

Cumberland, VA 23040

804-492-4212

### School Athletics Schedule



Cumberland County Public Schools uses numerous ways to communicate with parents, students, staff, and community members. To keep you informed, CuCPS often mails or sends home letters and flyers. You can also find out what is going on at school by using the following:



Phone us at 804-492-4212



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Visit us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/iamcucps/>



Watch us on Instagram <https://www.instagram.com/cucps/>



Check us out on Wakelet <https://wakelet.com/@ChipJones445>



Download our app on  or 

As always, go to our website at <http://www.cucps.k12.va.us>

Activity	Time	Opponent	Location
<b>Thursday, Aug 10, 2023</b> Golf: Varsity Match	3:30PM	Away vs. Buckingham County, Amelia County, Prince Edward	The Airport Municipal Golf Course
<b>Tuesday, Aug 15, 2023</b> Golf: Varsity Match	3:30PM	Away vs. Amelia County, Central Lunenburg, Nottoway	Amelia CC
<b>Thursday, Aug 17, 2023</b> Golf: Varsity Match	3:30PM	Away vs. Prince Edward, Buckingham County, Nottoway	The Manor
<b>Tuesday, Aug 22, 2023</b> Golf: Varsity Match	3:30PM	Away vs. Prince Edward, Buckingham County, Central Lunenburg	The Manor GC
<b>Thursday, Aug 24, 2023</b> Volleyball: Girls JV Game	5:30PM	Away vs. Franklin	Franklin High School
Volleyball: Girls Varsity Game	7:00PM	Away vs. Franklin	Franklin High School
<b>Friday, Aug 25, 2023</b> Football: Varsity Game	7:00PM	William Campbell	Cumberland High School
<b>Saturday, Aug 26, 2023</b> Volleyball: Girls Varsity Tournament	8:00AM	Away vs. Fluvanna County	Fluvanna County High School
<b>Monday, Aug 28, 2023</b> Volleyball: Girls MS Game	5:00PM	Away vs. Buckingham County	Buckingham County Middle School
<b>Tuesday, Aug 29, 2023</b> Golf: Varsity Match	3:30PM	Away vs. Central Lunenburg, Buckingham County, Prince Edward	Kenbridge CC
Volleyball: Girls JV Game	5:30PM	Blessed Sacrament Huguenot	Cumberland High School
Volleyball: Girls Varsity Game	7:00PM	Blessed Sacrament Huguenot	Cumberland High School
<b>Wednesday, Aug 30, 2023</b> Cross Country: Boys Varsity Meet	4:30PM	Away vs. Nottoway, Amelia County	Nottoway High School
Cross Country: Girls Varsity Meet	4:30PM	Away vs. Nottoway, Amelia County	Nottoway High School
<b>Thursday, Aug 31, 2023</b> Golf: Varsity Match	3:00PM	Away vs. Central Lunenburg, Buckingham County, Nottoway	Kenbridge CC
<b>Friday, Sep 1, 2023</b> Football: Varsity Game	7:00PM	Away vs. Parry McCluer	Parry McCluer
<b>Wednesday, Sep 6, 2023</b> Cross Country: Boys Varsity Meet	4:30PM	Away vs. Prince Edward, Nottoway	Prince Edward High School
Cross Country: Girls Varsity Meet	4:30PM	Away vs. Prince Edward, Nottoway	Prince Edward High School
<b>Thursday, Sep 7, 2023</b> Volleyball: Girls MS Game	5:00PM	Prince Edward	Cumberland High School
Volleyball: Girls JV Game	5:30PM	Away vs. Randolph-Henry	Randolph-Henry High School
Volleyball: Girls Varsity Game	7:00PM	Away vs. Randolph-Henry	Randolph-Henry High School
<b>Friday, Sep 8, 2023</b> Football: Varsity Game	7:00PM	Away vs. Altavista	Altavista High School
<b>Monday, Sep 11, 2023</b> Volleyball: Girls MS Game	5:00PM	Central Lunenburg	Cumberland High School
<b>Tuesday, Sep 12, 2023</b> Volleyball: Girls JV Game	5:30PM	Nottoway	Cumberland High School
Volleyball: Girls Varsity Game	7:00PM	Nottoway	CHS Gym Cumberland High School CHS Gym
<b>Wednesday, Sep 13, 2023</b> Cross Country: Boys Varsity Meet	4:30PM	Prince Edward, Randolph-Henry	Cumberland High School
Cross Country: Girls Varsity Meet	4:30PM	Prince Edward, Randolph-Henry	Cumberland High School
Volleyball: Girls JV Game	5:30PM	Franklin	Cumberland High School





# CUMBERLAND COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2023-2024 CALENDAR

<u>AUGUST</u>		6	17	23
1-2	Teacher Workdays			
3	Teacher Workday/Professional Learning (8:00-12:00 P.M.) Open House (1:00-6:00 P.M.)			
4	Teacher Workday/Professional Learning Day (School Closes at 12:00 P.M.)			
7-8	Teacher Workday/Professional Learning Day			
9	<b><u>School Begins for Students</u></b>			
<u>SEPTEMBER</u>		0	20	20
1	Early dismissal for students (12:00 P.M.)			
4	<b><u>LABOR DAY HOLIDAY</u></b>			
11	Interim Reports			
<u>OCTOBER</u>		1	21	22
6	Early dismissal for students (12:00 P.M.)			
9	Professional Learning Day/Teacher Workday			
12	End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Nine Weeks			
19	Report Cards			
<u>NOVEMBER</u>		0	19	19
14	Interim Reports			
22-24	<b><u>THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY</u></b>			
<u>DECEMBER</u>		0	13	13
2	Betty G. Scales Day of Service (celebrated on Dec. 1)			
19	End of Semester (12:00 P.M. Dismissal for Students and Staff)			
20-29	<b><u>WINTER HOLIDAY</u></b>			
<u>JANUARY</u>		1	20	21
1	<b><u>NEW YEAR'S DAY</u></b> (Schools Closed)			
2	Teacher Workday/Professional Learning Day (Schools Closed—Teachers Work from Home—Offices Open)			
3	<b><u>Schools Reopen/Second Semester Begins</u></b>			
9	Report Cards			
15	<b><u>MARTIN LUTHER KING HOLIDAY</u></b> (Schools Closed)			
<u>FEBRUARY</u>		1	20	21
5	Interim Reports			
16	Early Dismissal for Students (12:00 P.M.)			
19	Professional Learning Day/Teacher Workday (Schools Closed)			
<u>MARCH</u>		0	20	20
7	End of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks			
14	Report Cards			
29	Schools Closed (Snow Make-up Day)			
<u>APRIL</u>		0	17	17
1-5	<b><u>SPRING BREAK</u></b>			
17	Interim Reports			
<u>MAY</u>		3	13	16
3	<b><u>SENIOR PROJECT PRESENTATIONS</u></b> (Schools close at 12:00 P.M. for Students)			
10	<b><u>GRADUATION DAY</u></b>			
17	<b><u>LAST DAY FOR STUDENTS</u></b> (Schools close at 12:00 P.M. for Students/End of Second Semester)			
20-22	Teacher Workdays/Professional Learning Days			
29	<b><u>MEMORIAL DAY</u></b>			
Graduation		0.5	--	0.5
Monday Instructional Workshops (4)		1	--	1
After-school Parent/Teacher Conferences (October)		0.5	--	0.5
Flex Days Approved by Schools		5	--	5
TOTAL		20	180	200



## Cartersville Ruritan Club gives Scholarships

On June 8, 2023, the Cartersville Ruritan Club gave four \$1,500 scholarships to deserving Cumberland County High School seniors.

They were recognized at our regular meeting with dinner and certificate presentations from the club's secretary and scholarship chairman, Bruce Robinson.

Allie Hurt plans to attend Mary Baldwin University majoring in Psychology. Hannah Layne plans to attend Virginia Commonwealth University majoring in Education. Larry Witt also plans to attend Virginia Commonwealth University majoring in Communications. Anthony Rucci plans to attend Longwood University majoring in Education, specializing in Math.

## Cumberland County Public Schools Foundation Inc.

On Wednesday, May 3 at 6 pm, the Cumberland County Public Schools Foundation, Inc. awarded scholarships to the graduating class as well as former graduates of Cumberland County High School in the cafetorium, following dinner.

This year, the Foundation has given 56 scholarships to 33 students (eight college students and 25 high school students) for a total of \$47,325, our highest total ever.

To date, the Foundation has given a total of \$147,734 in Teacher Grants and \$527,000 in scholarships to Cumberland High School graduates. Grand total of Foundation giving: \$665,000.

This could not have been possible without the generosity of all the donors who annually give for this purpose recognizing the importance of an education beyond high school, whether traditional college, trade school or being able to take advantage of the opportunities for lifelong learning.

In addition to the donors, Cumberland County citizens and surrounding counties have shown a commitment to this cause as well by participating in several activities held during each year, such as the Annual 5K Run at High Bridge Park and the Walk for Education with the Ride for Education held on school grounds which raises funds for teacher grants.

We also would like to recognize the Cumberland Clothes Closet who donated a record \$8,000 to the foundation for scholarships, under the leadership of Barbara Daniels.

We thank our largest annual donor, Green Ridge Recycling and Disposal Facility, giving the foundation a total of \$60,000 stipulating that we award \$12,000 per year. This year, the president of the organization, Jerry Cifor joined us to stand with students who received Green Ridge scholarships.



## CUMBERLAND COUNTY VIRGINIA MUSEUM

### AND VISITORS CENTER

The Cumberland Museum and Visitor's Center is located in the old Clerk's Office between the Cumberland Office Building and the Courthouse. In searching history of this



building on November 24, 1834 in the Court Order Books it is stated that "Sale to William B. Hobson of old Clerk's Office approved and contract with Valentine Parrish to

build new Clerk's office for \$2000.00 approved." It was to be completed by the 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1835.

The building has had many uses since that time. At the present time the county owns the building and the Museum Board and Cumberland County Historical Society use it as a museum and visitor's center

for the county. Displays are changed during the year and citizens are asked to contribute artifacts from the county to keep interesting displays for all to see. The historical society has published two large



hardback books on *Cumberland County and Its People* and 4 supplements to these books. The books contain much history of the county, schools, churches, organizations and people.



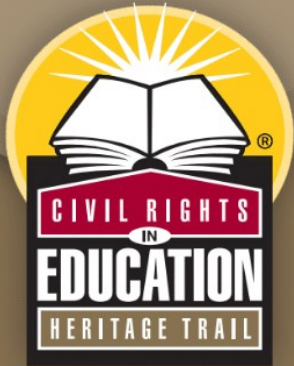
The society has also published 29 bulletins which cover the meetings of the society and researched articles of Cumberland history. There is a large collection of Cumberland High

School yearbooks on hand for those who would like to revisit their school years. The Museum subscribes to: Ancestry.com (both the United States and World) for family research as well as Genealogybank.com which is a site of thousands of newspapers that contain history of families and individuals from the beginning of newspaper publishing. We invite travelers and community members to visit the museum and to do research on their family history.



## CUMBERLAND COUNTY

- CM1** Rosenwald School at Cartersville  
2018 Cartersville Road, Cartersville, VA 23027
- CM2** Hamilton High School  
1921 Cartersville Road, Cartersville, VA 23027
- CM3** Jackson Davis  
1490 Anderson Highway, Cumberland, VA 23040
- CM4** Cumberland Educational Advancement Center & Community Center  
1874 Anderson Highway, Cumberland, VA 23040



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## The trail features more than 50 sites with detailed interpretation and photographs at each location.

The self-guided driving tour allows you to enjoy the trail at your own pace. Because the trail is not linear or chronological, it may be started and ended at any point. Once you begin, trailblazing signs lead you from one stop to the next with the help of this brochure featuring the physical addresses of each site. To fully experience the tour, allow time to enter buildings that are publicly accessible and to visit other attractions in the area.

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